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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement of September 8, 2008, the applicants elect the Group II claims, i.e. claims 5-7, without traverse. It is understood that no further election is required.

Favorable action is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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